

IV. AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A gaming machine comprising:
a game result display meansdevice for displaying a game result thereon; and
a beneficial state generating meansdevice for generating a beneficial state for a player when a predetermined game result is displayed on the game result display meansdevice;
wherein the game result display meansdevice includes a first display meansdevice and a second display meansdevice arranged in front out at a more front side than a display area of the first display meansdevice when seen from a front side of the gaming machine,
wherein the first display meansdevice includes a plurality of symbol display parts capable of variably displaying one or more of the symbols and conducting stop display thereof and an illumination device for illuminating the symbol display parts, and
wherein the second display meansdevice has symbol display areas corresponding to the symbol display parts through which the symbols displayed on the first display meansdevice are transmittably displayed and window frame display areas are formed around the symbol display areas in the second display meansdevice, and
wherein when display mode of the window frame display area is changed, the illumination device is adapted not to illuminate the symbol corresponding to the symbol display area and a light transmittance rate of the symbol display area is made low.
2. (Canceled)
3. (Canceled)
4. (Currently Amended) The gaming machine according to claim-21, wherein the display mode of the window frame display area is changed substantially at the same time that the stop display of the symbol is conducted.
5. (Currently Amended) The gaming machine according to claim-21, further

comprising:

an internal winning combination determination ~~means~~device for determining an internal winning combination;

wherein the display mode of the window frame display area is changed when the internal winning combination determination ~~means~~device determines a predetermined combination as the internal winning combination.

6. (New) A gaming machine comprising:

a game result display device for displaying a game result thereon; and

a beneficial state generating device for generating a beneficial state for a player when a predetermined game result is displayed on the game result display device;

wherein the game result display device includes a first display device and a second display device arranged in front of a display area of the first display device when seen from a front side of the gaming machine,

wherein the first display device includes a plurality of symbol display parts capable of variably displaying one or more symbols and conducting stop display thereof,

wherein the second display device has symbol display areas corresponding to the symbol display parts through which the symbols displayed on the first display device are transmittably displayed and window frame display areas are formed around the symbol display areas in the second display device, and

wherein when display mode of the window frame display area is changed, a moving object starts to move along the window frame display area and a light transmittance rate of the symbol display area is made low.

7. (New) A gaming machine comprising:

a game result display device for displaying a game result thereon; and

a beneficial state generating device for generating a beneficial state for a player when a predetermined game result is displayed on the game result display device;

wherein the game result display device includes a first display device and a second display device arranged in front of a display area of the first display device when seen from a front side of the gaming machine,

wherein the first display device includes a plurality of symbol display parts capable of variably displaying one or more symbols and conducting stop display thereof and an illumination device for illuminating the symbol display parts,

wherein the second display device has symbol display areas corresponding to the symbol display parts through which the symbols displayed on the first display device are transmittably displayed and window frame display areas are formed around the symbol display areas in the second display device, and

wherein when display mode of the window frame display area is changed, the illumination device is linked with a light transmittance rate of the symbol display area.